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Berne, April 23. *N. S.*

THEY write from Turin, that the Duke of Berwick, who is to command the French Forces in Dauphiné the enſuing Campaign, was expected on the 15th Inſtant at Grenoble. Great Numbers of German Recruits arrive daily in Piedmont, as well for the Imperial Forces, as thoſe of the Duke of Savoy. Prince Emanuel of Savoy is gone from Turin to Vienna, from whence he is to march to the Rhine, at the Head of his Imperial Regiment.

Hanover, April 29. *N. S.* An Expreſs diſpatched by the Reſident of this Court at Vienna, lately brought his Electoral Highneſs the Inveſtiture of Great Treaſurer of the Empire. Laſt Week the Duke of Wolfembuttel returned from Bamberg to his own Dominions, accompanied by his Highneſs's Daughter, the Abbeſs of Ganderskeim. The Prince Hereditary of Wolfembuttel continues at Brunſwick, and Prince Lewis, with the Princeſs his Conſort, at the County of Blanckenbourg, which the Emperor has erected into a Principality, in Conſideration of the Queen of Spain. Letters from Poland of the 20th Inſtant ſay, that the Diet having read and approved the Projects of their Acts on the 16th, the Members kiſſed his Majeſty's Hand, and attended his Majeſty at the *Te Deum*, in the Church of St. John. Theſe Letters add, that the Czar was arrived at Petersbourg, and had commanded General Goltz to be brought thither. General Schemereth hath demanded Engineers and a Train of Artillery of his Czariſh Majeſty, for carrying on the Siege of Riga.

Copenhagen, April 29. *N. S.* The Squadron that was equipped for Norway is ſailed from hence, under the Command of Vice-Admiral Raab. The King has reſolved to recal Count Velo from Vienna, and to ſend another Miniſter in the ſame Character thither. A Deputy from the Magiſtrates of Lubeck is arrived here, to claim ſome Ships belonging to that City, which the Danes had brought into this Port. On the 25th Inſtant a Dutch Fleet of about 130 Sail of Merchantmen arrived before Elſinore, under the Convoy of two Men of War and one Frigot. Monſieur Frijs, Major of the Foot Guards, who was taken Priſoner in the late Battel near Elſinburgh, is appointed to command the Daniſh Foot Guards which are in Flanders, in the room of Colonel Buleau, who is ordered to return to this Kingdom. Monſieur Frijs is not yet ſet at Liberty; but Propoſals are made to exchange him for a Swediſh Adjutant-General, whom the Danes took in the late Battel. We have Advice, that the Swedes have taken three Daniſh Ships laden with Corn upon the Coaſts of Jutland.

From the Camp before Douay, *May* 5. *N. S.* On Saturday the 3d Inſtant a Detachment of our Horſe that was commanded to Patrole on the Plains of Lens, met with a Party of one hundred of the Enemy's Horſe coming from Bethune towards our Camp to get Intelligence; they drew up on both ſides, and ours having at the firſt Charge killed fifteen of the Enemy, took the reſt Priſoners with all their Horſes, two Captains, and ſix Subalterns. The Diſpoſition being made for the Attack of Douay, forty Battalions are appointed for that Service, commanded by the Prince of Anhalt and the Prince of Naſſau Friezeland, Generals of the Foot; four Lieutenants-General, viz. the Earl of Orkney, Lieutenant-General Withers, the Prince of Holſtein-Beck and Count d'Hona, with eight Majors-General, and as many Brigadiers. And laſt Night we opened the Trenches at two Attacks on the North ſide of the Scarpe, between the Gates of Ocre and Eſquerchien, the reſt of the Place being covered by Inundations. Four Battalions and three thouſand Workmen were ordered for each Attack, and the Work was begun with ſo good Order, and carried on ſo ſucceſsfully, that our Men were covered, and our Approaches very well advanced, before they were perceived from the Town, which was about three in the Morning, and all the Fire the Enemy then made had no further Effect than wounding a Serjeant and two private Men. One hundred and twenty Boats, with Artillery and Ammunition from Gheat for the Siege, paſſed through Oudenarde yeſterday Morning. We have Advice from the Frontiers, that the Enemy's Troops are beginning to draw together on the other ſide the Somme; and that the Mareſchal de Villars is every Day expected at Cambray.

Hague, May 6. *N. S.* On the 3d Inſtant the laſt Courier that the French Miniſters at Gertruydenberg ſent to Verſailles returned with Diſpatches to thoſe Miniſters, and it is ſaid they are preparing to return to Paris. The States General having filled up the Vacancies in the Military Liſt, ſeparated themſelves for ſome days. The Earl of Bath arrived here laſt Week from England, and is preparing to ſet out this day for the Army. The Artillery which is to be employed in the Siege of Douay having paſſed through Oudenarde on the 4th, it is believed it is already arrived at the Camp. The Enemy give out that their Army will be aſſembled before the 12th Inſtant.

Falmouth, April 24. On the 21ſt was ſent in here, by the Great Pearl Privateer, the Dolphin Privateer of St. Malo of eight Guns and ſixty five Men. On the 22d arrived the Beake Galley and the Prince George, from Barcelona; the Berniſs and the Martha Sloop from Malaga; all of and for London. Put in alſo her Majeſty's Ships the Southampton and Lizard, with about ſixty Sail of Coaſters, bound for Briſtol, Milford and Swanzey. This Day ſailed her Majeſty's Ships the Southampton and Lizard.

Plimouth, April 24. Yeſterday ſailed the Colcheſter to cruize, and a Spaniard bound for Bilboa. This Day came in the Beake Galley and Prince George from Barcelona, and the Berniſs and Martha Sloop from Malaga, but laſt from Falmouth. At the ſame time arrived the Cæſar of and for London, Captain Tippet Commander, for Barcelona; and a Spaniard bound for Cadiz.

Hull, April 26. There lye in the Humber her Majeſty's Ships the Tyger, Mermaid, Greyhound and Nightingale.

Cowes, April 26. William Gibſon, Maſter of the Leuntado for Amſterdam, from Bourdeaux, reports, that while he lay there a Guernſey Privateer took out of that River five French Veſſels.

Portſmouth, April 27. On Tueſday laſt her Majeſty's Ships the Valeur, Monk's Prize, and Foway, came up from cruizing, and brought in a French Prize laden with Wine and Brandy, carrying ſixteen Guns. Yeſterday alſo the ſaid three Men of War ſailed again to cruize. Yeſterday alſo her Majeſty's Ships the Swiftſure, Newark, Torbay, Warſpight and Eſſex arrived from the Downs, with about thirty Sail of Merchantmen and Coaſters under their Convoy. This Morning the Northumberland arrived from the Weſtward. Yeſterday the five Dutch Men of War that were put back by contrary Winds, ſailed for Holland, with about twenty Sail under their Convoy. There are at Spithead her Majeſty's Ships the Royal Sovereign, Royal Ann, Cornwall, Edgar, Breda, Berwick, Norfolk, Lancaſter, Dragon, Torbay, Newark, Warſpight, Eſſex, and Northumberland. The Swiftſure ſailed yeſterday into the Harbour.